

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph at page 24, prenumbered lines 2-5, with the following rewritten paragraph:

On the other hand, in the loop for the control transport channel, in step S202, the control transport channel quality monitoring unit 37 starts the control transport channel quality measurement timer.

Please replace the paragraph at page 24, prenumbered lines 9-11, with the following rewritten paragraph:

In step S204, the control transport channel quality monitoring unit 37 determines whether the time measured by the control transport channel quality measurement timer has expired or not.

Please replace the paragraph at page 24, prenumbered lines 21-25, with the following rewritten paragraph:

When the determination is yes ("Y" in step S205), the operation proceeds to step S206. On the other hand, when the determination is no ("N" in step S205), the control transport channel quality measurement timer is reset, and the operation returns to step S202.